



**WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT
OF FISH AND WILDLIFE
FINAL DETERMINATION OF
NON-SIGNIFICANCE**
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Name of Proposal: CISPUS RIVER SCREW TRAP

Description of Proposal: The proponent plans to place a rotary screw trap in the mouth of the Cispus River to monitor the emigration of naturally-spawning spring chinook salmon juveniles. This work is part of the upper Cowlitz Basin anadromous fish reintroduction program. The screw trap will be held in place by cables attached to shoreline trees. The trees will be padded to protect them from injury.

Proponent: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife, Cowlitz Falls Fish Facility, 1379B Falls Road, Randle, Washington 98377. Contact Person: John Serl.

Location of Proposal, including street, if any: Near the Junction of Cispus River and Lake Scanewa, River Mile 88.5 on the Cowlitz River, Cowlitz Falls Dam, 1379 Falls Road, Randle, Washington, Lewis County; Northeast 1/4 of Section 06, Township 11 North, Range 06 East WM

Lead Agency: Washington Department of Fish and Wildlife

The lead agency for this proposal has determined that it does not have a probable significant adverse impact on the environment. An environmental impact statement (EIS) is not required under RCW 43.21C.030(2)(c). This decision was made after review of the completed environmental checklist and other information on file with the lead agency. This information is available to the public on request.

This DNS is issued under WAC 197-11-340(2); the lead agency will not act on this proposal for 14 days from the date of issue below. Comments must be submitted by: **July 17, 2002**

Responsible Official: Cynthia R. Pratt

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e-mail: prattercp@dfw.wa.gov if you have questions or comments about this determination.

DATE OF ISSUE: July 3, 2002 **SIGNATURE:** 